MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
MISSOURI UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
FOR METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND SINGLE-COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREAS (LMAs)
CURRENT MONTH (JANUARY 2024), PREVIOUS TWO MONTHS (DECEMBER 2024 AND NOVEMBER 2023) AND YEAR AGO (JANUARY 2023)

	JAN 2024	DEC 2023	NOV 2023	JAN 2023
U.S. (not seasonally adjusted)	4.1	3.5	3.5	3.9
MISSOURI (not seasonally adjusted)	3.8	2.9	2.8	3.2
METROPOLITAN AREAS				
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA	3.5	2.6	2.6	3.0
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (MO PT)	3.3	2.5	2.5	2.9
Bollinger	3.8	2.7	2.6	3.3
Cape Girardeau	3.3	2.4	2.5	2.8
COLUMBIA MSA (Boone Co.)	3.0	2.1	2.3	2.5
JEFFERSON CITY MSA	3.3	2.3	2.3	2.7
Callaway	3.6	2.6	2.5	3.0
Cole	3.1	2.3	2.2	2.5
Moniteau	3.6	2.3	2.4	2.7
Osage	3.1	2.1	2.2	2.5
JOPLIN MSA	3.6	2.9	2.8	2.9
Jasper	3.5	2.8	2.7	2.9
Newton	3.8	3.0	2.9	2.9
KANSAS CITY MSA	3.3	2.5	2.5	2.9
KANSAS CITY MSA (MO PT)	3.8	3.0	2.8	3.0
Bates	4.7	3.1	2.7	3.5
Caldwell	3.9	2.6	2.6	3.2
Cass	3.8	2.8	2.7	3.0
Clay	3.2	2.5	2.4	2.6
Clinton	4.0	2.7	2.6	3.1
Jackson	4.1	3.3	3.1	3.3
Lafayette	3.8	2.6	2.5	3.0
Platte	3.2	2.5	2.4	2.4
Ray	4.1	2.9	2.9	3.2
ST. JOSEPH MSA	3.6	2.5	2.4	2.9
ST. JOSEPH MSA (MO PT)	3.6	2.5	2.4	2.9
Andrew	3.4	2.2	2.2	2.7
Buchanan	3.7	2.6	2.5	2.9
DeKalb	3.8	2.5	2.5	2.9
ST. LOUIS MSA	3.8	3.1	3.0	3.4
ST. LOUIS MSA (MO PT)	3.6	2.8	2.7	3.1
Franklin	3.6	2.6	2.5	3.0
Jefferson	3.5	2.6	2.5	3.0
Lincoln	4.2	2.7	2.6	4.4
St. Charles	3.2	2.3	2.3	2.9
St. Louis Co.	3.5	2.8	2.7	3.0
Warren	3.8	2.7	2.4	3.9
St. Louis City	4.3	3.6	3.4	3.7
SPRINGFIELD MSA	3.2	2.3	2.4	2.7
Christian	3.2	2.2	2.2	2.6
Dallas	4.0	2.9	3.0	3.5
Greene	3.1	2.3	2.3	2.6
Polk	3.7	2.8	2.8	3.1
Webster	3.4	2.3	2.4	2.7
FAYETTEVILLE MSA (MO PT - McDonald Co.	4.6	4.1	3.7	2.9
MICROPOLITAN AREAS				
BRANSON	10.7	3.8	3.4	9.4
Stone	9.3	4.1	3.6	8.0
Taney	11.4	3.6	3.3	10.0
FARMINGTON (St. Francois Co.)	4.9	3.7	3.4	4.2
FT. LEONARD WOOD (Pulaski Co.)	4.5	3.4	3.3	3.6
HANNIBAL	3.8	2.8	2.7	3.1
Marion	3.7	2.8	2.8	3.1
Ralls	3.8	2.7	2.4	3.0
KENNETT (Dunklin Co.)	6.3	5.4	4.7	5.1
KIRKSVILLE	5.3	2.9	3.2	4.0
Adair	5.1	2.8	3.2	4.0
Schuyler	6.2	3.4	3.2	4.2
LEBANON (Laclede Co.)	4.2	3.5	3.3	3.3
MARSHALL (Saline Co.)	3.6	2.5	2.5	3.1
MARYVILLE (Nodaway Co.)	3.6	2.5	2.7	2.7
MEXICO (Audrain Co.)	4.0	3.1	3.1	3.5
MOBERLY (Randolph Co.)	4.2	3.2	3.2	3.1
POPLAR BLUFF (Butler Co.)	4.8	4.2	4.0	4.1
ROLLA (Phelps Co.)	3.9	2.8	2.8	3.4
SEDALIA (Pettis Co.)	3.6	2.7	2.7	3.1
SIKESTON (Scott Co.)	3.4	2.7	2.7	2.8
WARRENSBURG (Johnson Co.)	4.2	2.8	2.9	3.2
WEST PLAINS (Howell Co.)	4.3	3.6	3.4	3.6
FT. MADISON (MO PT - Clark Co.)	4.7	3.6	3.2	4.4
QUINCY (MO PT - Lewis Co.)	4.1	2.7	2.7	3.3
SINGLE COUNTY LMAs				
Atchison	3.3	2.1	2.5	2.9
Barry	4.6	3.6	3.4	3.6
Barton	3.6	2.4	2.7	2.9
Benton	5.8	4.2	3.7	5.0
Camden	6.0	4.4	3.7	4.8
Carroll	4.1	3.0	2.4	3.1
Carter	5.7	4.5	3.8	4.7
Cedar	4.2	3.0	3.3	3.5
Chariton	3.5	2.3	2.2	2.5
Cooper	3.9	2.7	2.7	3.1
Crawford	4.4	3.2	3.1	3.6
Dade	3.3	2.4	2.5	3.2
Daviess	4.1	2.5	2.7	3.0
Dent	4.3	3.5	3.2	3.6
Douglas	3.7	2.8	2.9	3.3
Gasconade	3.6	2.6	2.4	2.9
Gentry	3.3	2.1	2.4	2.8
Grundy	4.2	2.9	2.7	3.2
Harrison	4.4	2.6	2.6	3.4
Henry	4.1	2.8	2.7	3.2
Hickory	5.1	4.1	3.3	4.2
Holt	3.0	2.2	1.9	2.3
Howard	4.2	2.6	2.8	3.5
Iron	5.8	4.7	4.3	5.2
Knox	4.4	3.5	2.9	3.5
Lawrence	3.9	2.8	2.8	3.1
Linn	5.0	3.8	3.5	4.0
Livingston	3.3	2.3	2.3	2.3
Macon	4.4	3.1	2.6	3.8
Madison	4.6	3.6	3.3	3.6
Maries	3.9	3.0	2.7	3.0
Mercer	3.7	2.4	2.8	3.2
Miller	4.9	3.3	2.9	3.9
Mississippi	4.4	3.3	3.3	3.8
Monroe	4.6	3.1	2.8	3.6
Montgomery	3.6	2.8	2.5	3.9
Morgan	5.2	4.0	3.4	4.5
New Madrid	4.8	3.7	3.5	3.6
Oregon	4.0	3.1	3.2	3.5
Ozark	7.1	6.1	4.8	5.2
Pemiscot	5.9	5.1	4.9	4.5
Perry	3.2	2.3	2.4	2.5
Pike	3.8	2.7	2.8	3.2
Putnam	4.2	3.2	2.8	3.3
Reynolds	4.2	3.6	3.2	3.8
Ripley	4.6	3.8	3.9	3.7
St. Clair	4.7	3.5	3.4	3.5
Ste. Genevieve	3.5	2.7	2.6	3.0
Scotland	3.6	2.1	2.0	2.4
Shannon	5.9	4.6	4.3	5.4
Shelby	4.6	2.6	2.3	3.6
Stoddard	5.4	4.5	4.1	4.0
Sullivan	5.0	3.1	2.8	3.4
Texas	4.7	3.7	3.5	3.8
Vernon	3.9	3.2	3.3	3.2
Washington	5.3	3.8	3.2	4.7
Wayne	5.0	4.3	4.1	4.7
Worth	3.7	2.1	2.3	2.6
Wright	4.1	2.9	3.2	3.4